Pamplin Vicinity

Pamplin Vicinity, Sept. 21.- Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Pittenger visited Mr. and Mrs. Edd Pittenger, Mrs. Bessie Wilkerson and Mrs. Eunice Baldwin Sunday.

Mrs. Andrew Mann's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Parter, of Lynchburg, visited in this home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Webber and children called to see Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Webber Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. George Irvin and daughters, Linda and Karen, from Warwick, Va., were week-end guests in the home of her mother, Mrs. Bessie Wilkerson, and Mrs. Eunice Baldwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Kress visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Jennings in Lynchburg Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Price and son, of Richmond spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Price.

Mrs. Carl Ferguson and Mrs. Billie Ferguson called to see Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Harris and family, of near Vera Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Peters and family, of Richmond spent the week-end in the home of D. B. Williams.

Mrs. A. R. Southall and Mr. and Mrs. Horton Miller Southall spent Sunday with Dr. and Mrs. Rixey Southall at Louisa, Va.

Mr. S. W. Oakes, of Norfolk, and Mrs. Betty Lou Baldwin, of Farmville visited Mr. and Mrs. C. P Woodall this week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Ramsey, of Lynchburg were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Coley Ramsey Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy M. Tolley and son, Roy Allen and Miss Bessie Ann Glover visited Mr. and Mrs. George Cordell, of Vera, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Mary Ferguson and son, Carl Ferguson visited Miss Lucille Ferguson Sunday afternoon.

The young people of the B. T. U. of the Baptist Church here went on a hayride and then to the show Saturday night.

Mr. Edward Ramsey, who has been overseas returned home on a 30-day furlough.

Mrs. W. S. Cumby called to see Mrs. Elijah Baldwin on Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Caldwell, of Lynchburg spent the week-end with Miss Flora Belle Williams.

Mrs. W. S. Cumby called to see Mrs. George Shreaves on Monday night.

DISTRICT CONFERENCE OF WELFARE WORKERS

District VII Conference of Social Work held its second quarterly meeting on September 9, in the auditorium of Piedmont Sanatorium, Burkeville, Va.

Mr. Williams, from the Unemployment Compensation Board, discussed eligibility requirements for Unemployment Compensation. Dr. Scott, Director of Piedmont Sanatorium, discussed recent tuberculosis trends. The highlight of the meeting was a tour of the Sanatorium.

The third quarterly meeting will be held Thursday, December 9, at Farmville.

Representatives from Appomattox County at the Burksville meeting were Mrs. Emma Y. Hunter, and Mrs. Flora L. Stanley.

Magnolias Will Thrive

Some varieties of magnolias will thrive over a very large area of the country, according to the American Association of Nurserymen. Many people think of them only as southern trees.

PREPARE YOUR PLANTS FOR UNUSUAL WEATHER

In the past few years, abnormal weather in many parts of the country has become the usual occurrence. In general, large areas of the country have been warmer, while numerous areas have experienced more extensive drouths.

It is easy to protect prize trees and shrubs on your property from unusual weather conditions while the steps recommended can't harm plants no matter what kind of weather is experienced, says the American Association of Nurserymen. These steps are as follows:

1. If there is insufficient natural rainfall, thoroughly soak the ground around the roots of all established, valuable plants on your property at least every two weeks.

2. Mulch of peat moss or other porous, organic material will help to keep plants from drying out quickly in periods of drouth. Mulch your shrubs well. Roses, azaleas and many other flowering shrubs will perform better with a mulch three or four inches thick. Where there are strong winter and early spring winds, if the shrubs are the least bit tender, mulch the plants themselves with salt hay or similar material.

3. Water even in the fall and winter months if there is a lack of natural precipitation. Plants need water during these months even though they may be dormant. It helps them to survive severe winter conditions of both wind and drouth. These few precautions will keep your trees and shrubs healthier under the most trying conditions. Some new plantings may require partial shade. Consult your local nurseryman. A full year of perfect weather is practically unheard of. Always some part of the year imposes severe conditions, but simple all-year care is by far the most severe handicap of home plants today.

MANY COMMUNITIES RUSH TO LANDSCAPE

Thousands of communities are turning to landscaping and planting of trees and shrubs in order to make their cities and towns more attractive, according to the American Association of Nurserymen, which reports a vast surge of such projects started both by private groups such as chambers of commerce, newspapers, garden clubs and by local officials.

Some interesting facts have been developed to show that beautification of communities with trees and shrubs have both increased population and local business. The attractively planted community attracts more intelligent and responsible citizens it is shown. Good landscaping helps greatly in preventing depreciation of property values.

Some communities have made their localities famous by planting a single species of beautiful flowering plants, while others are content to have streets and approaches to the town planted with shade trees and flowering shrubs of many varieties. There are rose, flowering crabapple, forsythia, azalea, camellias, lilac, wisteria and even hemlock cities. One town has planted ten miles or roses along its leading highway approach, forming a spectacle that people drive for many miles to see when in flower. Other cities and towns with their flower "festivals" attract hundreds of thousands of visitors. The plantings lift property values generally and prevent them from deteriorating for the years to come.

"These communities are well on the road," says J. B. Baker, Jr., of Houston, Texas, president of the nurserymen's association, "to making America far more beautiful and a better place to live and work and play."

Richwood

Richwood, Sept. 21.- "Every religion is good that teaches man to be good." —Quoted.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Ferguson and daughter, Judy, of Lynchburg, were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Wooldridge.

Joan Harvey returned to Longwood College this week, where she will resume her studies.

Sharp Moore and friend, Don Brown, U. S. N., spent the week-end with Sharp's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Moore.

David Martin, U. S. N.,, Portsmouth spent the week-end with his wife and baby in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Blazer and family.

Duvall Guill, U. S. N., was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Guill over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Paulette and children visited Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Paulette and family.

Mrs. G. P. Brannan and daughters, Val and Georgie Belle visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Wooldridge.

Richwood, Sept. 20.- Mr. and Mrs. James Cordell visited friends in Roanoke Sunday.

Mrs. Sam Cordell and granddaughter, Sarah Ann Turlerfill, of Charlotte, N. C., visited friends and relatives in West Virginia over the week-end.

Sir Walter Raleigh, an English courtier of Queen Elizabeth's time, paved the way for the settlement of America.

Quality In Eggs Can Now Be Determineed By Mechanical Means

Some of the major factors considered important when it comes to quality in eggs can now be determined mechanically.

VPI specialists, reporting on results of U. S. Department of Agriculture research, say egg-size is determined by weighing the eggs as they are moved by a conveyor. Egg shape is determined by electronic signals received from mechanical "feelers." Cracks are detected by mechanical tapping and "listening" (an adaptation of the long-known art of "clacking" eggs):

Shell strength can be determined by applying known stresses to shells and accepting those undamaged by the treatment. The worth of this principle lies in its ability to salvage weak-shelled eggs that would ordinarily crack during marketing and be lost. Air-cell size is reflected with a high degree of accuracy by measuring the absorption of radio-frequency energy. The pressure of blood, and spots, shell color and yolk color can be detected and classified when necessary by use of light and transmitting, reflecting or refracting properties of the eggs. The researchers believe that quality in shell eggs will be determined entirely by machines when methods are developed to measure shell quality and to screen for defects.

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Pamplin

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Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Williams were the week-end visitors in the home of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mann, of Richmond.

The young people of Elon Baptist Church went on a hayride to the Lyric Theatre at Appomattox on Saturday night. They reported a grand time.

Mr. Odell and Patsy Williams spent the week-end with their sister, Mrs. [illegible] of Lynchburg.

Mrs. B. W. C. of Elon Baptist Church met Tuesday night in the home of Mrs. E. W. Harwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Yeatts and children of Farmville were week-end guests in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Davis.

The state flower of Ohio is the carnation.

Clover Hill Personals

Clover Hill, Sept. 21.- Mr. and Mrs. Carl Holt and daughter, Belvia, of Hurt were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Twyman Baldwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Garrett and children, Linda and Wanda, of Richmond spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Johnson.

The J. M. Vaughan family, who were injured in an automobile accident last week, have all been released from the hospital except Mrs. Vaughan. She is reported improving slowly.

Sunday visitors of the Vaughans were Mr. and Mrs. Manford Jordan and four children and Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Moore, of Richmond; Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Wayne and Mrs. M. J. Irving, of Phenix; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Nash and Mrs. Cecil Chenault, of Evergreen; Mr. and Mrs. Allen Torrence and son, of Spout Spring; Mr. C. W. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cawthorne, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Johnson and Mr. D. E. Torrence.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Kidd and Mrs. W. H. Conner spent the week-end at Portsmouth with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Sheppard.

R. G. Holt left Sunday on a business trip to Chicago.

Mrs. L. W. Carter was a week-end visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Tickles, of Norfolk.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernell Mitchell entertained at dinner on Wednesday evening of last week in honor of their son, Teddy, who celebrated his eighteenth birthday. Guests were John Paul Rothgeb, Ronnie Lewis, and Pete Baber.

Week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Harvey were Mrs. C. E. Smith, of Clifton Forge; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Woody and Mr. and Mrs. George Wells, of Lynchburg; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Woody and four children, and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Woody, of Newport News.

Master Bob Holt is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Holt, at Pamplin.

Recently elected officers of the Clover Hill Home Demonstration Club for the coming year are as follows: President, Mrs. Russell Conner; Vice-President, Mrs. L. N. Hernecall; Secretary and Treasurer Mrs. Elliot Torrence; Federation Goal Leader, Mrs. Jacob Lewis; Program Development Leader, Mrs. Bernard Richardson; Project Leaders, Mrs. Edna Covington, garden and poultry; Mrs. Bessie Trent and Mrs. A. F. Godsey, clothing, and Mrs. L. W. Carter and Mrs. T. M. Richardson, nutrition.

Mrs. R. G. Holt and Misses Jane and June Holt motored to Harrisonburg Sunday, where the latter resumed her studies at Madison College.

Quinn To Speak on Game And Fish Resources

The Isaak Walton League of America will hold its state convention in Richmond, at the Hotel Jefferson, October 2 - 3. Program chairman, Robert C. Lyne, of the Richmond chapter will preside.

Among the speakers will be I. T. Quinn, executive director of the Commission of Game and Inland Fisheries; Dr. J. L. McHugh, director of the Virginia Fisheries Laboratory; E. E. Rodger of the Virginia State Forest Service; A. H. Anderson, supervisor of the George Washington National Forest; Ross Walker of the State Water Control Board; Donald S. Wallace of the State Division of Water Resources; Michael Hudoba, secretary of the Outdoor Writers' Association of America, and C. E. Addy of the U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service.

Sir Gorden Richards, English jockey, holds the world's record for winners.

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Evergreen

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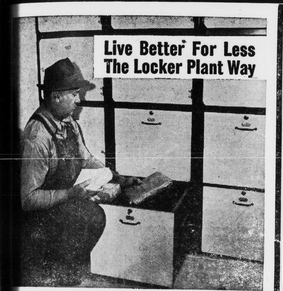

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